
St James and All Souls

4th Sunday of Easter

26th April 2026

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HOLY MASS

Sunday: 6.00pm (Sat.)

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10.00am

Mon – Sat (except Tue)

12noon

Tue. 6.30pm

CONFESSION

Sat. 11.00 – 11.45am

Thurs. 7.00 – 7.45pm

ADORATION

Mon., Wed., Fri., Sat.,

11.00 – 11.45am

Holy Hour Thurs.

7.00pm

BAPTISMS

Sunday 11.30

(Register for
preparation after mass
on Sunday)

MARRIAGE

By arrangement.

(Please see the priest
at least six months
before)

LATEST NEWS

Seeking to know Jesus, Baptism or to become a Catholic?

It is the Lord's work - the parish offers support and guidance on the journey.

Age 6 or younger, parents please see Cathy after Mass on Sat/Sun to begin preparation.

Ages 7-11 who are seeking baptism or seeking to join the Catholic Church meet after 10am mass on the last Sunday of every month beginning 26th April.

Ages 12-15 who wish to be baptised or to enter the Catholic Church should attend the Junior Alpha Course which begins on the 1st June, and if they wish to continue, the Communion and Confirmation preparation classes which will follow.

Ages 16 or older who are seeking Baptism or wish to become a member of the Catholic Church should attend Adult Alpha and then the Growing in Love and knowledge of Christ course which will begin in September on Tuesday evenings. For all aged 7 and above If the course is successfully completed, baptisms and receptions will be at Easter 2027.

Why Easter?

With just one week until Adult Alpha begins (Tuesday 12 May), now is the time to invite. You have been praying—now take that step in faith. A personal invitation makes all the difference. Keep it simple: "Would you like to come with me?" Offer to go together and reassure them there is no pressure or expectation. Many people are more open than we think—they are simply waiting to be asked. Please continue to pray for your three people. Let us move forward with confidence, trusting that God will work through our invitations.

St James Hub - Looking for something meaningful and social? Join us at St James Hub this Sunday 26 April! If you're aged 18–35, come along for a peaceful time of Adoration from 5.30pm, hear an inspiring talk on vocations from Fr Mark Paver, and enjoy a relaxed, friendly social gathering afterwards in the hall.

During May which is a special month dedicated to Our Lady, you're warmly invited to join us in praying the Rosary together. Gather with us on Wednesday evenings or Sunday mornings for a peaceful and prayerful time. We may even enjoy praying in the garden when the weather allows—weekly updates will keep you informed!

Heating update – Like an Easter gift the Diocese have approved the repair to the heating. It will cost **£10,496 + VAT**. Hopefully work will start soon and the heating will be ready for summer!

Regular Parish Events: in Parish Hall unless stated.

Legion of Mary Sat. 7.15pm

St James Hub (18 - 35) last Sunday of each month 5.30pm.
Adoration, Prayer (in church) Pizza, Social (in hall).

Youth Group (16 -18) first Friday of each month 6pm
Youth group (11-16) second Friday each month 6pm

Prayer meeting 20th May. 7pm

Warm Wednesday. Provided by the Emmaus Community, soup sandwiches and drinks. 12.30pm - 2.30pm. All welcome.

Birthday Blessing Last Sunday of each month, at the end of 10am Mass, thanksgiving and blessing for all who have celebrated birthdays over the last month.

Bingo every 2nd Saturday of the month 12.30pm. Bingo £5 a book, raffle tickets £1 a strip. All welcome (tea and refreshments provided). **The next Bingo on 9th May.**

Parish 200-Club Monthly Draw:

Thank you for your continued support! If you want to participate in May draw, please ensure you have paid your £5 by 20th May. If you want to join, please speak to Efosa or Tracey.

Alpha-

Alpha (Ages 16 & older) – Starts Tuesday, 12th May (10 weeks) at 7.15pm.

Alpha Youth (Ages 12-15) – Starts Monday, 1st June (8 weeks) at 6:30pm.

Please pray for:

Sheila O’Dowd, Sophie Heardman, Dorothy Alder, Carol Cunningham, Elizabeth Novak, Kimberely Stanfield, Dr Mary Synott, Rose, Brian Boyland, Janet Fay, Gwen Maskell and all who are poorly.

**Mass Intentions
Received:**

Lately Dead:

Theresa Kathleen Thomas

Anniversaries:

Margaret Travis,
Lopes Family,
Anthony Bray

Sick –



Brian Boyland, Joseph Boyland, Catherine Boyland, Bernard Boyland.


Liturgical Calendar- this week:

Monday 27:	Easter Weekday
Tuesday 28:	Easter Weekday/ St Peter Chanel
Wednesday 29:	Saint Catherine of Siena
Thursday 30:	Easter Weekday/ St Pius V
Friday 01/05:	Easter Weekday/St Joseph the Worker
Saturday 02/05:	St Athanasius
Sunday 03/05:	Fifth Week of Easter

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Maintenance Appeal

Every second Sunday of the month we will be holding a second collection for our Maintenance appeal. If you want to set up regular giving towards the fund here are our bank details
Sort Code 20-55-34 a/c 60729019,
a/c name TSDT St James and All Souls Salford.

